

Remarks

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The jacket embodiment as illustrated in replacement Figures 7 & 8 and described in claims 34-40 is unique from the garments invented by J.G. Fowler, R. Mathias and David J. Jones in the following ways:

My riding jacket is designed to provide comfortable coverage when riding in warm weather and to highlight a woman's figure by having the chest portion cut above the bust line and having the center of the chest portion end between the breasts at the base of the wearer's chest. Additionally, the back of the wearer is covered by a V-shaped portion that covers the shoulders and extends from the armpits down to the wearer's waistline. To keep the jacket anchored while riding, a chain or strap is attached to both sides of the front closure and to the base of the V-shaped back panel.

The garment designed by J.G. Fowler is intended as a semi-undergarment to provide warmth to the arms. The front and back panels are cinched tightly against the wearer's body with the back portion sitting high on the shoulder-blades.

The garment designed by Mathias is essentially a pair of protective sleeves that connect with narrow strap-like back and chest portions and is worn high on the shoulders. It is intended for industrial use to protect the wearer from electrical shock and other working hazards.

The garment designed by David J. Jones is a tubular item that covers the arms, upper shoulders and sometimes, the head. It is intended to provide warmth to the arms while leaving the rest of the body unrestricted. There is no chest portion to this garment.

In summary, my invention does not copy the inventions of J.G. Fowler, R. Mathias and David J. Jones; it is unique in its design and intention.